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SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION, SMALL ENTITY STATEMENTS, AND REQUEST FOR REFUND UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.28(a)

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Dear Sir:

Applicants in the above-identified patent application hereby submit the following documents:

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- 1. Declaration/Power of Attorney executed by Applicants:
- 2. Three (3) Small Entity Statements; and,
- 3. Request for Refund under 37 C.F.R. §1.28(a).

## No Surcharge is Due

No surcharge is due for the submission of the Declaration at this time, since the 30th-month deadline does not expire until March 18, 2002. The Declaration is, therefore, timely without payment of any surcharge.

Authorization is also given to charge Applicants'
Attorney's Deposit Account, Account No. 19-0450, for any
additional fees or costs which may be due in connection
with the prosecution of the above-identified application, but
which have not otherwise been provided for. A duplicate copy
of this paper is enclosed for billing purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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On December 17, 2001, prior to the 30th-month deadline from the claimed priority date (filed under P.C.T. Chapter II), Applicant remitted the large-entity U.S. National Fee of \$890.00, to cover the Basic U.S. National Fee.

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Accompanying the present submission, are three (3) Small Entity Statements for the purpose of allowing Applicants to establish a claim to Small Entity status for the purpose of the payment of certain fees in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

In view of the concurrent submission of the accompanying Small Entity Statements, under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.28(a), Applicants respectfully request a refund of \$445.00, or one-half of the U.S. National Fee paid on December 17, 2001.

The Office is requested to credit said refund to the Deposit Account of Applicants' Attorney, Account No. 19-0450. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed for billing purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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